

House Resolution No.

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to honor remarkable Show-Me State couples who have experienced the good fortune of success in marriage, a most delightful task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, the union of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Cantril, residents of Memphis, Missouri, is characterized by their enduring affection and serves as a glorious illustration of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, Leland and Ruth Cantril commemorated the joyous occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration hosted by their loved ones on September 8, 2007; and

Whereas, as they proudly marked this splendid milestone in their life, Leland and Ruth Cantril undoubtedly looked back with satisfaction upon all that has transpired since they pledged their eternal love to one another and began their long, joyful walk down life's path; and

Whereas, it was six wondrous decades ago that Leland Cantril and Ruth Roland joined their hands, their hearts, and their lives together in a solemn nuptial ceremony officiated by G. Lolin Easley and witnessed by Leland's sister and her husband, and Ruth's brother at the Memphis Christian Church Parsonage, on September 14, 1947, followed by a reception hosted by the bride's mother at her come; and

Whereas, over the course of the past sixty years, Leland and Ruth Cantril have witnessed with pleasure the continual growth of their mutual love, trust, and understanding, qualities that have enhanced and enriched their unique partnership with each passing year; and

Whereas, Leland and Ruth Cantril have distinguished themselves as a remarkable couple, whose sixty years of shared joy and contentment so beautifully illustrate the strength, grace, and splendor of the lasting marriage bond:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Leland and Ruth Cantril upon the joyous occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary and in further wishing them continued happiness in the years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Leland Cantril.

Offered by _____
Representative Brian Munzlinger
District No. 1

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. ____, adopted ____, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker